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For: Three-Layer Furniture Bag

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT "A"

Sir:

Please cancel claims 5 and 12-17. Please amend the claims as follows:

1(Once Amended). A bag formed of a dual surface material wherein said dual surface material comprises:

- a. an inside surface having a [first] coefficient of friction range of approximately 0.125 to 0.275;
- b. an outside surface having a [second coefficient of friction higher than said first] coefficient of friction range of approximately 0.300 to 0.600.

6(Once Amended). The dual surface bag of claim [5] 1, wherein said inside surface has a [COF] coefficient of friction range of approximately 0.175 to 0.250 and said outside surface has a [COF] coefficient of friction range of approximately 0.350 to 0.600.

7(Once Amended). The dual surface bag of claim [2] 1, wherein said [plastic] bag comprises three layers.

8(Once Amended). The dual surface bag of claim [6] 7, wherein said three layers further comprise:

- a. a first layer having a [COF] coefficient of friction range of approximately 0.175 to 0.250; and
- b. a second layer having a Dart Impact strength of approximately 95 grams per mil; and